

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 2608 - SB 2517

February 9, 2016

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes local legislative bodies creating a board of zoning appeals to have three, five, seven, or nine members.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Expenditures – Exceeds \$500/Permissive

Assumptions:

- Under Tenn. Code Ann. § 13-7-106 and Tenn. Code Ann. § 13-7-205, these boards are authorized to have three or five members.
- The precise fiscal impact is dependent upon which county legislative bodies choose to increase their number of board members, the amount, if any, that the local governing body chooses to compensate additional members, and to what extent they choose to increase the size of such board.
- Given the extent of unknown factors, determining a precise impact to local government is difficult. However, it is reasonable to presume that at least one board will elect to increase its membership by two members pursuant to the provisions of this bill and such members will be compensated at a minimum for expenses incurred. The permissive and recurring increase in local expenditures is reasonably estimated to exceed \$500.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Krista M. Lee".

Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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